

MOREHEAD STATEMENT

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Ron Osborne

Homecoming to be bigger for '83

"It's Eagle Time" is the theme for Homecoming '83 in what promises to be the largest observance in MSU's history.

Four additional days and six new activities have been added to the calendar as Homecoming Weekend becomes Homecoming Week.

From the new Homecoming Kickoff Carnival on Sunday, Oct. 9, through the new Golf Scramble on Sunday, Oct. 16, Homecoming '83 will embrace eight days and 15 separate activities, according to Myron Doan, chairman of the Homecoming Committee and a member of the Alumni Executive Council.

"We are excited about the expansion of the Homecoming schedule and especially about the new events designed to increase student interest and participation," he stated. "We literally will have something for everyone this year."

The celebration begins Sunday, Oct. 9, with the Kickoff Carnival on the lawn in front of

Camden-Carroll Library, Allie Young Hall, and Ginger Hall from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Food, games, and entertainment will be available and most of it will be free, Doan said.

Another new event, the Homecoming Forum, is scheduled on Monday, Oct. 10. Dr. Gary S. Cox, deputy executive director of the Kentucky Council on Higher Education, will be speaker at an 11:30 a.m. luncheon in the Eagle Room. Questions and answers will follow his comments on the future of higher education. Dr. Cox is an MSU alumnus and former dean of the School of Public Affairs at Kentucky State University.

Tuesday, Oct. 11, will be "Blue-Gold Day" as students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to wear the school colors to show their solidarity. Wednesday, Oct. 12, will be "Faculty-Staff Alumni Day" as MSU freshmen compete for cash prizes by getting the most autographs of MSU alumni who

serve on the faculty and staff. Both of these activities are new for 1983.

"Quarterflash" will be in concert on Thursday, Oct. 13, at 8:00 p.m. in the Academic-Athletic Center. Sponsored by the MSU Student Association, the concert will carry an admission charge of \$8 for non-students.

Another new event starts the schedule on Friday, Oct. 14, when active members of the Alumni Association attend an invitation-only reception at the Morehead Holiday Inn, starting at 5 p.m. To become an active member, an alumnus must make a gift to the Alumni Fund.

The traditional Candlelight Awards Dinner, offered this year in buffet style, will begin at 6:30 p.m. with awards presentations slated at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Adron Doran University Center.

Another change involves the Homecoming Dance, which has been moved to the Crager Room of the ADUC, starting at 9 p.m.

The 1983 Homecoming Queen will be crowned at 10 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 15, will be the busiest day, with registration of alumni and guests starting at 8 a.m. at the Alumni Center. A continental breakfast for former athletic letterwinners runs from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in the ADUC Cafeteria. Under way at noon at ADUC will be the reunions of the classes of 1933, 1943, and 1953. Lunch is Dutch treat.

Pre-game ceremonies at the MSU-Akron football game start at 1:30 p.m. at Jayne Stadium, and the kickoff is set for 2 p.m. as Coach Steve Loney's Eagles shoot for their second straight Homecoming win. Western's Hilltoppers fell to the Eagles last year, 17-13.

The award-winning Rowan County Senior High School Marching Band will be featured in the post-game band show at the stadium. Saturday's final

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Vietnam alumni involvement studied

A significant number of Vietnam War veterans who enrolled at Morehead State University under the G.I. Bill remained to earn bachelor's degrees and frequently returned to complete an advanced degree.

These are preliminary findings of Dr. John J. Hanrahan, professor of history, who is conducting research with graduate assistant Michael Downs on MSU alumni who served in Vietnam. Downs, himself a Vietnam veteran, was awarded four Purple Hearts for wounds in combat there.

Records in the Office of Veterans Affairs show 1,084 Vietnam War veterans have taken advantage of the G.I. Bill to enroll at MSU since 1969. Nearly half that number (591, five of whom are women) received bachelor's degrees from the university, and 219 of those (about 37 percent) returned to campus to earn a master's degree. Currently enrolled are 118 veterans, 22 of whom are graduate students.

The study is an effort to document and recognize sacrifices of MSU alumni for their country. The team is conducting interviews with alumni who served in Vietnam to explore their war experiences, attitudes about America's longest war, and how their education at the university prepared them for return to civilian life.

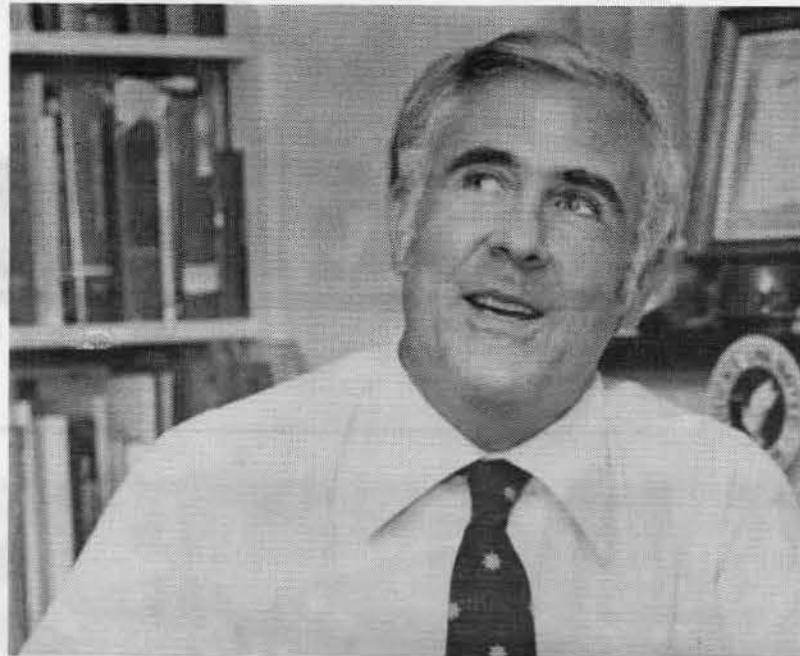
Interviews will be completed this semester, and the team will write a final report for publication in the spring, Dr. Hanrahan said.

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Dr. Roland Burns

He came ... and stayed on

By JOE ADAMS
Student Managing Editor

It's not unusual for people to discover the beauty of the Daniel Boone National Forest in the area of Morehead State University. But when it happens to a city boy for the first time, the experience can last a lifetime.

That's the story of Dr. Roland Burns, a 1966 alumnus and a professor of geography at MSU.

"I was raised in a residential section of Ashland and was 35 years old when I drove a tractor for the first time," confessed Burns, who grew up with NBC-TV personality Chuck Woolery. "I took an immediate liking to Morehead because, in my opinion, it's a wonderful example of what country's all about."

"I guess I just like the breathing room after being in a city for most of my life."

A nature addict who considers himself a conservationist rather than a farmer, Burns shares his robust enthusiasm for the great outdoors with others in hopes of helping them to appreciate it.

And when Burns takes his student conservation classes outdoors, the foothills of Eastern Kentucky become a scenic classroom with one of Kentucky's most knowledgeable outdoorsmen leading the way.

"Part of my philosophy on education is to help students learn by exploring their subjects first hand," explained Burns, who chaperoned 23 student field trips last spring. "Practically all natural resources are found outside four walls and there's no better place to observe them than in the heart of the Daniel Boone National Forest."

"Students from other universities in and out of Kentucky have to drive over here to get a sample of what we can enjoy each time we step outside."

As part of their activities, his students assist in such vital

ecological endeavors as restoring wildlife clearings and stocking area streams with fish.

An authority on Red River Gorge in Powell County, Burns has directed more than 100 tours there during the past eight years. Alumni will have the chance to explore the Gorge with Burns next summer when he guides a special tour as part of MSU's Appalachian Celebration.

The trip will include a visit through Tight Hollow, which boasts a virgin forest with trees more than 650 years old.

"I never get tired of going back to the Gorge, because it's one of those rare places that you can camp 100 times and still not see all of its wonders," he said.

Burns received state recognition for his dedication to conservation recently when the League of Kentucky Sportsmen named him the Conservation Educator of the Year. Burns is also active in several fish and wildlife organizations and is frequently sought as a speaker.

"Regardless of what you decide to go into, you can get involved a little at a time or jump right into it," said Burns, who owns 72 bee hives scattered among four nearby counties. "I chose to dive head first into conservation."

But that is only one aspect of his life. A radarman in the Navy before coming to MSU, Burns has travelled to 17 countries, including Russia in 1974.

But his journeys to distant lands have only enhanced his love for the Morehead area. "I guess I'm just naturally attracted to the outdoors and MSU."

"It may sound corny, but it's a kind of love affair that I have for this place, and I hope I won't ever have to leave it again," he added.

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event will be the Post-Game Dance at the Carl D. Perkins Community Center. Scheduled from 9 p.m. to 2 p.m., the dance is co-sponsored by the Alumni Association and the Quarterback Club.

The final activity of Homecoming '83 will be another new program, the Homecoming Golf Scramble. Set for 1 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 16, at the MSU course, the outing is co-sponsored by the Alumni Association and the Morehead Golf Club. A modest entry fee will be required.

For the first time in several years, the Alumni Association is offering combination ticket prices for the weekend events. Non-students can purchase tickets for the Candlelight Dinner, Homecoming Dance, and Post-Game Dance for only \$19 a couple. If purchased separately at the door, the same tickets would be \$23. Student couples can purchase tickets to the Friday night dinner and dance for \$15. The Post-Game Dance is not open to students.

Tickets for the dinner and dances may be purchased by mail through order forms appearing in this issue of MOREHEAD STATEment. Football tickets will be available at the stadium.

Enrollment up 8 percent

As this issue of MOREHEAD STATEment was going to press, President Morris L. Norfleet announced that MSU has recorded an eight percent increase in full-time students for the fall semester.

Dr. Norfleet reported that MSU attracted 347 additional full-time students this fall, including increases of 13.7 percent in new freshmen and transfer students and 28 percent in graduate students.

"We are very pleased with this significant increase in our full-time enrollment, particularly in view of the fact that we have more than recovered from last year's decline of 5.2 percent," the MSU president stated.

Dr. Norfleet attributed the enrollment jump to a more effective admissions effort, increased student recruitment activity by faculty and staff, and a restructured financial aid plan.

Holton busy as SA president

By SCOTTY OFFUTT
Student Staff Writer

David Holton may be the only person ever to own Morehead State University's "Big Man On Campus."

It all started when a fraternity nominated Holton's seeing-eye dog Simon for the university's "Big Man On Campus" contest last year. Simon, a black Labrador retriever, beat 10 human contestants by a landslide.

Holton later became a top dog himself when the MSU student body elected him as Student Association president.

"It was the biggest honor I've ever received," said Holton, a 21-year-old senior government major from Louisville. "To be chosen by my peers as their president is really the ultimate honor. I try to be the SA president wherever I go, whatever I do."

His actions prove his words.

Holton was appointed in August as the student representative on the Kentucky Council of Higher Education (CHE) by

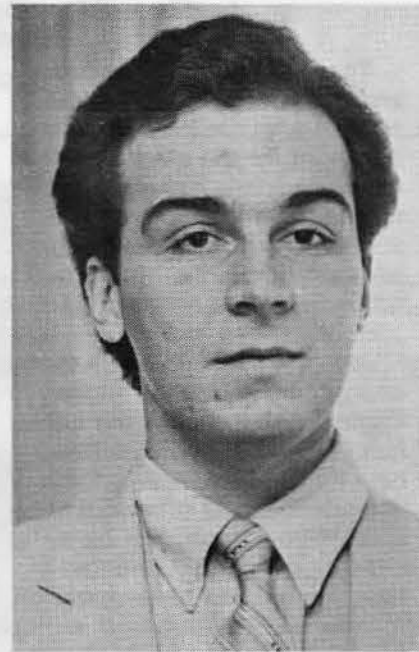
Gov. John Y. Brown. A week later, however, Holton was informed that his CHE appointment conflicted with his service on the MSU Board of Regents.

Confronted with choosing between the CHE position and MSU's student presidency, Holton opted to remain loyal to his constituency.

"I felt a sense of commitment to the students here at MSU," said Holton, whose father David Sr. is an MSU alumnus from the class of 1963. "I felt it would be a breach of confidence that the students have placed in me if I chose to leave."

Holton also feels strongly about his commitment to Sigma Nu fraternity. A member since the fall of 1981, he was named "Greek Man of the Year" for 1983 as MSU's premiere fraternity member, and currently serves as rush chairman for Sigma Nu.

Although Holton admits to his share of fun as a fraternity member, his academic involvement with Sigma Nu also is high priority, he said. For better than two years, Sigma Nu has maintained the highest grade-point



David Holton

average (g.p.a.) of all MSU fraternities. In addition, Holton's 3.4 g.p.a. has helped the fraternity attain fourth best among chapters nationwide.

"We realize that without the university, we wouldn't be here.

So we try to place emphasis on academics," he explained, "But without my total involvement with the fraternity I wouldn't be nearly as happy or personally fulfilled."

Holton also participates in several other campus organizations, including Phi Alpha Theta, a history honor society; Pi Gamma Mu, a social science honor society; and Phi Alpha Delta, a pre-law society. Currently the vice president of the Political Science Club, Holton is a past university senate member and plans to seek office again this fall in that advisory body.

His plans for the future are unclear at this point. He may attend one of Kentucky's law schools or work on a master's degree in either public relations or university administration.

Regardless of how his future materializes, Holton knows that people, especially high school and college groups, will play a crucial role.

"The older you get, the more important it becomes to maintain a youthful outlook on life," he added. "I think I can achieve this by working with young people."

Study tours set

Two workshops in foreign countries will be offered by MSU as study tours this winter.

The workshops deal with international business and economics and with international merchandising and fashion design. They are being offered separately by MSU's Department of Management and Marketing and Department of Home Economics. Each workshop carries three hours of general elective credit.

The study tours are scheduled from Dec. 27 until Jan. 13. Each workshop will focus on studies in a particular European city during that time.

The business and economics workshop will visit manufacturing and service organizations, financial institutions, and other governmental agencies in London, Paris, and Milan.

Tours of fashion houses, a silk mill, the Gallerie d'Lafayette, and Versailles will highlight the merchandising and fashion design workshop. In addition, the participants will be offered a chance to "give and take" with the European experts.

The cost of each workshop is \$1,399, which is subject to change without notice according to foreign currency fluctuations. The price includes round-trip airfare from New York, room and two meals per day, transportation while in Europe, and any required entrance fees.

For more information, contact Dr. Robert Meadows, Head, Department of Management and Marketing, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351. The telephone number is (606) 783-2756.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

For information on having a conference or workshop on the MSU campus, please call Office of Campus Events at 606-783-2010.

SEPTEMBER

24
*Football: vs. Middle Tennessee, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.

OCTOBER

1
*Football: at Murray State, 7:30 p.m.

5
Exelbirt Lecture: Robert Doyle, "Acid Rain," Button, 10:20 a.m.

6
*Arts in Morehead: Riverboat Ragtime Review, Button, 8 p.m.

8
*Football: vs. Austin Peay, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.

9
Homecoming Kickoff Carnival, library lawn, 5 p.m.-8 p.m.

13
*Homecoming Concert, Quarterflash, AAC, 8 p.m.

14
*Homecoming Dance, Crager Room, ADUC, 9 a.m.

15
*Football: vs. Akron, Jayne Stadium, 2:30 p.m.

*Post-Game Dance, Perkins Center, 9 p.m.

16
Homecoming Golf Scramble, MSU course, 1 p.m.

NOVEMBER

5
*Football: vs. Liberty Baptist, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.

10
*Arts in Morehead: Carole Wincenc/Heidi Lehwalder (flute, harp), Duncan Recital Hall, Baird Music Hall, 8 p.m.

12
*Football: vs. Eastern, Jayne Stadium, 1:30 p.m.

23
Thanksgiving holiday begins at 11:20 p.m.

26
*Basketball: vs. Tennessee Wesleyan, AAC, 3 p.m.

28
*Basketball: vs. Lincoln Memorial, AAC, 7:30 p.m.

30
*Basketball: vs. Alabama-Huntsville, AAC, 7:30 p.m.

DECEMBER

1
Lecture Series: Collette Dowling, "What It Takes for a Woman to Succeed," Button Auditorium, 10:20 a.m.

6
Basketball: Lady Eagles vs. Charleston, AAC, 7:30 p.m.

9
*Basketball: vs. Western Michigan, AAC, 7:30 p.m.

13
Basketball: Lady Eagles vs. Louisville, AAC, 7:30 p.m.

15
*Basketball: vs. Marshall, AAC, 7:30 p.m.; Lady Eagles vs. Marshall, AAC, 5 p.m.

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Fall semester closes at noon.

Note to Alumni: If the staff of the Alumni Association can assist you in arranging a visit to the campus, please do not hesitate to call 783-2080.

*Ticket or invitation required

FACILITY CODE:

AAC — Academic-Athletic Center
ADUC — Adron Doran University Center
Button — Button Auditorium
Jayne — Jayne Stadium

Football outlook uncertain

By CRAIG BOHNERT
Sports Editor

Morehead State University's football team and comedian Rodney Dangerfield have something in common. Both "don't get no respect."

Dangerfield has become a cult hero among today's youth with his self-abusive brand of humor, while Coach Steve Loney and his 1983 Eagles will try to earn respect with tools called the "Permu-T" and the "Wide-tackle six."

Evidence of the lack of respect the Eagles get from their rivals in the Ohio Valley Conference was seen at the annual Football Media Day held in Nashville this summer. The Eagles were chosen to end the 1983 OVC race in seventh position, with perennial power Eastern Kentucky tabbed the favorite.

This lack of respect is surprising to Eagle watchers, who know MSU has the talent to make a strong bid at an upper-division finish in the OVC this year. While most of the nation's 14th-ranked defense last year has graduated, the offense returns many talented performers at the skill positions.

"We'll be playing a number of young people on defense," said Loney, who is entering his third year at the helm. "What we have to do is get the offense to produce and give our defense a chance to gain experience."

Offensive production may be easier to come by this year than it has in the past. Back for their senior seasons are receivers Mark Ledford and David Thurkill, both pre-season all-OVC selections. However, the amount of talent in the receiver corps doesn't mean the Eagles will be filling the air over Jayne Stadium with passes.

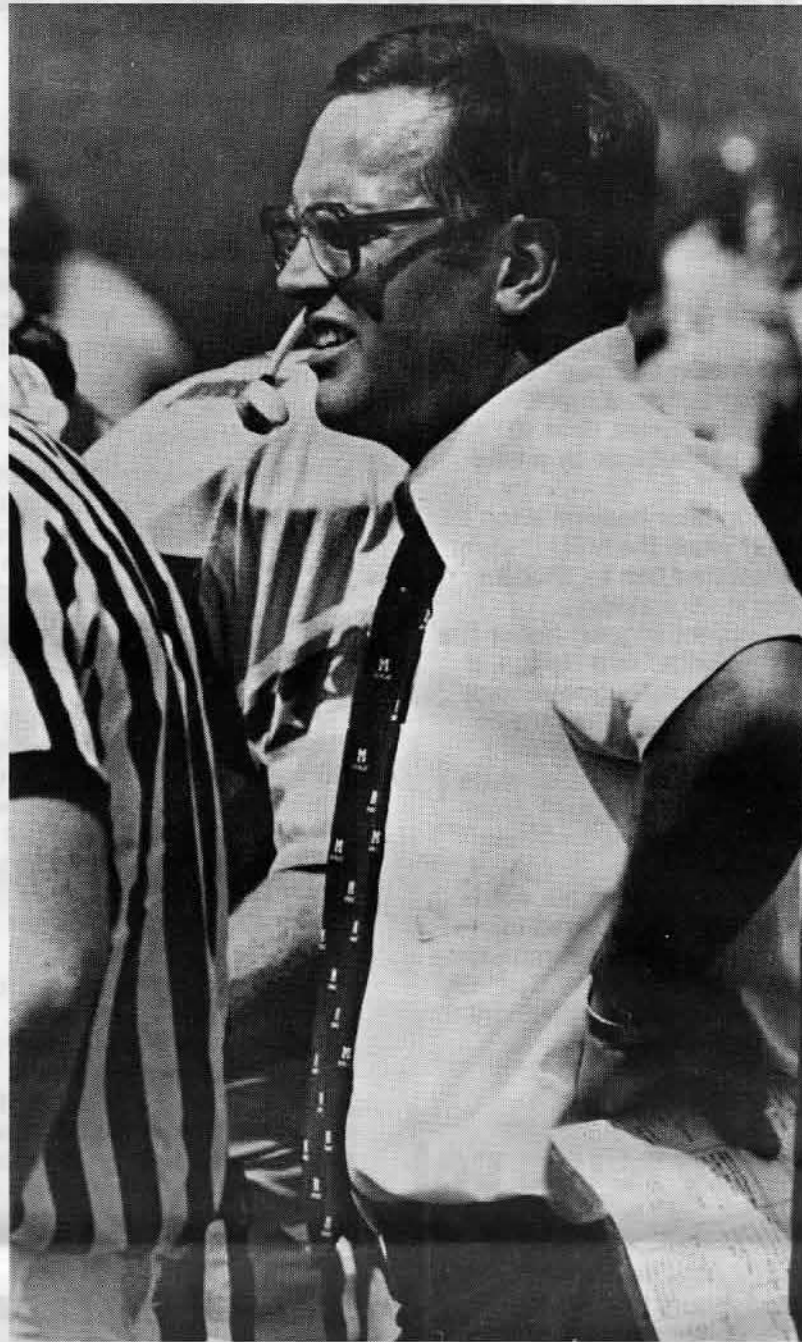
The running back positions are loaded with experienced players who are involved in a dog fight for the starting positions. Back are last year's top four rushers, including sophomore Roger Cleveland, who led the Eagle infantry with a 4.2 years-per-carry average in 1982.

Junior Mike Hanlin will take charge of the offense as the Eagle quarterback. While Loney has yet to discover whether his new Permu-T multiple offense, the brainchild of offensive coordinator Dan Haley, will be a passing or running oriented attack, Hanlin can be counted on to play an integral part in either, boasting a strong passing arm and the ability to pull the ball down and run if the opening is there.

The question mark on offense is the line play. Only two let-terms, Tony McCoy and David Stukey, are back to lend their experience. The progression of the line will play a major role in the Eagles' attempts at MSU's first winning season since 1979.

Defensively, experience returns to the line in Charlie Franklin, a tackle, and end Keith Curry. Guard Ray Winebrenner and safety Chris Spalding are the only other veterans returning to the defensive unit, which will count on the play of newcomers early in the season.

The punting chores that were handled by All-American John Christopher are now handed over to Rick Cyrus, a fifth-year senior who has lived in Christopher's shadow the last four years. Loney said Cyrus has some areas of his kicking that are stronger than Christopher's but the real test will come in a game situation.



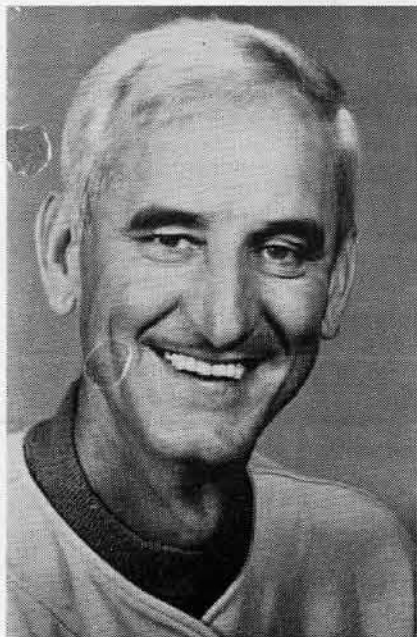
Coach Steve Loney

Lenn Duff returns for his last year as the Eagle placekicker after suffering an injury to his kicking ankle while running this summer. Loney said Duff has made a complete recovery and is ready.

The ingredients are ready for the Eagles' football season, and

the chances are good that the Eagles will finally get some respect from their foes in the OVC.

As this issue of MOREHEAD STATEment went to press, the Eagles lost a 7-3 decision to Kentucky State in the season opener.



Coach Steve Hamilton

Hamilton joins alumni staff

MSU Baseball Coach Steve Hamilton has been appointed to the staff of the Alumni Association on a part-time basis.

The former basketball All-American and major league baseball pitcher will continue to devote most of his time to coaching the baseball Eagles.

Hamilton, who has two degrees from MSU, was named "Coach of the Year" in the Ohio Valley Conference last spring after leading the Eagles to the finals of the NCAA Mideast Regional.

"We are delighted to have Coach Hamilton joining us on the alumni staff," said Don Young, executive vice president of the Alumni Association. "He is a nationally-respected sports figure who has brought great recognition to MSU, in addition to being a highly successful coach."

Hamilton had 11 seasons in major league baseball. Most of his career was spent with the New York Yankees.

His primary assignment for the Alumni Association will be to coordinate alumni activities related to athletics.

MSU Golf Scramble

**Sunday, Oct. 16
1 p.m.
MSU Golf Course**

All alumni interested in participating in the MSU Alumni Association's Golf Scramble should contact Steve Hamilton, MSU, UPO Box 755, telephone (606) 783-2080.

Greeks make Alumni Homecoming plans

Past meets present when members of MSU's Greek organizations play host to their predecessors as part of Homecoming Weekend, Oct. 14-16.

Activities range from chapter meetings and tea parties to special athletic events throughout the weekend. All respective alumni are invited.

Fraternities participating include:

Delta Tau Delta—After-game dinner for visiting alumni and their families, Saturday, Oct. 15, at the fraternity house.

Phi Kappa Phi—Sixth annual Balloon Race, Saturday, Oct. 15, east end of Jayne Stadium. Little Sisters Salad Bar/Dinerette, Jaycee Farm (off U.S. 60, two miles east of Morehead), 6:30 p.m.

Homecoming Bash, Jaycee Farm, live entertainment, 8 p.m.

Pi Kappa Alpha—Post-Homecoming Dance Party, Friday, Oct. 14, in fraternity house at 1001 W. Main St. Fire truck ride to Jayne Stadium, Satur-

day, Oct. 15, (meet at fraternity house at noon). Dinner at restaurant to be announced, 6 p.m. Homecoming Game Party, 9 p.m. Softball game: Alumni vs. Actives, Sunday, Oct. 16, Morehead City Park, 2 p.m.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon will be celebrating the Golden Anniversary of The Campus Club at Homecoming '83.

Utilizing the theme "Fifty Years of Friendship," the fraternity will register alumni during the morning at a location to be announced. Block seating for the football game has tentatively been arranged, and a reception and open house will follow the game at the fraternity house on Ky. 32 East.

A dinner and program commemorating the 50th year will begin at 7 p.m. in the Crager Room of the University Center. Alumni of Campus Club and Sigma Alpha Epsilon are encouraged to attend these special activities celebrating 50 years of friendship in MSU's oldest student organization.

Sigma Phi Epsilon—Purple and Red Letter Party, Friday, Oct. 14 (meet at fraternity house, 9 p.m.). Brothers and Goldenhearts/Wives Cocktail Reunion, fraternity house, noon-1:45 p.m. Reunion Party, fraternity house, 9 p.m. Alumni Board/Corporation Meeting, Sunday, Oct. 16, Adron Doran University Center, West Room A, noon. Football game: Alumni vs. Actives, Rowan County Middle School Football Field, 2 p.m.

Tau Kappa Epsilon—Alumni Meeting, Saturday, Oct. 15, fraternity house at 135 Clearfield Road, 11 a.m. Homecoming Celebration, fraternity house, 9 p.m.

Sorority activities include:

Alpha Omicron Pi—Homecoming Tea, Saturday, Oct. 15,

Eagles Nest Restaurant on Main St., 9-11 a.m.

Chi Omega—Alumnae Reception, Saturday, Oct. 15, Patty Bolin Living Room, Lloyd Cassity Building, directly after game.

Delta Gamma—Homecoming Tea, Saturday, Oct. 15, Nunn Hall, Chapter Room, 10-noon.

Delta Zeta—Reception Tea, Saturday, Oct. 15, Lloyd Cassity Building, Patty Bolin Living Room, 10 a.m.-noon. Husbands welcome.

Kappa Delta—Homecoming Tea, Saturday, Oct. 15, 512 Nunn Hall, Chapter Room, directly after game.

Sigma Sigma Sigma—Homecoming Tea, Saturday, Oct. 15, Eagles Nest Restaurant, 5-7 p.m.

Eagle Basketball Ticket Application

Quan.	Game	Price	Amount
	Season—all home games	\$65.00	
	Faculty-Staff Season	\$38.00	
	Tennessee Wesleyan Nov. 26	\$5.00	
	Lincoln Memorial Nov. 28	\$5.00	
	Alabama-Huntsville Nov. 30	\$5.00	
	Western Michigan Dec. 9	\$5.00	
	Marshall Dec. 15	\$5.00	
	Middle Tennessee Jan. 12	\$5.00	
	Tennessee Tech Jan. 13	\$5.00	
	Western Kentucky Jan. 31	\$5.00	
	Tennessee State Feb. 6	\$5.00	
	Youngstown State Feb. 9	\$5.00	
	Akron Feb. 11	\$5.00	
	Indiana-Southeast Feb. 13	\$5.00	
	Austin Peay Feb. 23	\$5.00	
	Murray State Feb. 25	\$5.00	
	Eastern Kentucky March 2	\$5.00	
Total enclosed			

(Ticket prices include sales tax)

Active members of Alumni Association receive 10% discount on season tickets. Discount does not apply to faculty-staff seats which already are reduced.

Name _____

Address _____

Return with check or money order to:

Division of Athletics
Morehead State University
UPO Box 698
Morehead, KY 40351

Fall sports in action

Although football takes most of the attention, the gridiron squad is not the only sports action spot this fall at MSU.

After compiling a 38-22 record a year ago, Volleyball Coach Jim McClellan is looking for bigger and better things in 1983. The Lady Eagles opened the season earlier this month at the UK tournament and, after a slow start, MSU bounced back to capture the consolation silver division title.

"The first day of the tournament we were a little nervous and had some jitters," said McClellan, now in his third season at the Lady Eagles helm.

"Wendy Rumford's play in the tournament was outstanding," McClellan added. Rumford is a sophomore from Alexandria, Ky.

MSU faced the likes of Ball State, Notre Dame, and Illinois State. ISU was a participant in last year's national tournament. MSU dropped three straight to Illinois State on the first day of the two-day tournament.

The Lady Eagles will face a strong schedule at home in October. MSU will host arch-rival Eastern Kentucky on the 5th, and will tangle with national powers Loyola of California on the 12th and Penn State on the 20th. MSU will also play host to the Ohio Valley Conference Mid-Season Tournament the weekend of the 14th and 15th.

The men's cross country unit will look to better last year's fourth-place finish in the conference meet, but must first find replacements for two of the top five runners from last season.

"We feel good about our top four runners," said Coach Bob Willey. "Our no. 5 runner is still in limbo. Joe Martin and Todd Rees will run one-two, while Clay Norton and Kenny Williams will handle the third and fourth spots."

Martin and Rees are seniors and will share the top spot.

Martin captured the individual title at the Berea Invitational last year while Rees returns for his fourth season.

The women's cross country squad will feature a new look this season because all runners this year did not participate in 1982. According to Willey, all his runners on the Lady Eagle squad competed in high school but have no experience at the collegiate level.

The Lady Eagles placed fifth in the conference meet last season.

The Ohio Valley Conference championships will be held at Akron in late October.

On the tennis courts, Beverly Mayhew's club opened up the fall season by edging Louisville at home, 5-4.

The Lady Eagles lost just one starter from last spring's OVC tournament championship team that went 17-1 during the spring campaign and sent three players to the NCAA tournament.

Winners in singles play for MSU against the Lady Cardinals were Helen Curtis, Helen Haddon, and Vanessa Adams. Haddon and Adams, along with Curtis and Reeves, captured wins in doubles competition.

Homecoming Week 1983

October 9-16



Ron Osborne

"It's Eagle Time!"





Sunday, October 9

Kick-Off Carnival

5 p.m.-8 p.m., library lawn

Monday, October 10

Homecoming Luncheon/Forum

11:30 a.m., Eagle Room, ADUC

Tuesday, October 11

"Blue/Gold Day"

Wednesday, October 12

MSU Faculty/Staff Alumni Day

Thursday, October 13

SA Concert—Quarterflash (\$8 for non-students)

8 p.m., AAC

Friday, October 14

Active Members Reception
Candlelight Buffet

5 p.m.-7 p.m., Holiday Inn
Dinner served 6:30-8 p.m.
Presentations at 8 p.m.
ADUC Cafeteria
9 p.m.-midnight, Crager Room, ADUC
10 p.m.

Homecoming Dance

Coronation

Saturday, October 15

Alumni Coffee/Registration
Continental breakfast for former lettermen

8-10 a.m., Alumni Center
9-10 a.m., ADUC Cafeteria

Class Reunions ('33, '43, and '53)

Noon, ADUC Cafeteria

Pre-game ceremony

1:30 p.m., stadium

Football: MSU vs. Akron

2 p.m., stadium

Post-game Band Show

Rowan County Senior H.S.

Post-Game Dance (Alumni Association and Quarterback Club co-sponsors)

9 p.m.-2 a.m., Perkins Center

Sunday, October 16

Golf Scramble

1 p.m., MSU Golf Course



RECORDINGS COLLECTOR—Dr. Michael Biel, assistant professor of radio-television at MSU, has collected over 35,000 recordings, some of which date back to 1900. Dr. Biel describes it as a "research collection" which he uses to illustrate the history of radio in his classes.

Recordings aid prof's research

By ALVIN MADDEN-GRIDER
Class of 1983

Dr. Michael Biel, assistant professor of radio-television at Morehead State University, loves recordings. In fact, he owns 35,000 of them.

That's right—35,000 recordings!

In addition to 45 rpm phonograph records, there are thousands of long-playing albums and old 78s as well as tapes, recording wires, cylinders, and player piano rolls.

They're not all songs, either. "I'm a generalist," Dr. Biel says. "I have all types of things, but I specialize in spoken-word and comedy recordings."

The recordings form a unique history of the 20th century. Dr. Biel's oldest items are a few cylinders from 1901 or earlier and one disc record from 1900.

"It is more than a casual collection," Dr. Biel explains. "It's a research collection. It helps further my knowledge of the history of the phonograph, the record industry, and broadcasting."

This knowledge is passed on to his students in MSU classes.

"I illustrate what we're learning with original recordings of broadcasts to show the kind of programs, the announcers, and what their styles were."

The recordings from decades ago show students the development of today's broadcasting styles, Dr. Biel notes.

He also writes research columns and articles for national collector publications and regularly gives talks at record conventions.

Dr. Biel's interest in recordings goes back to his childhood "when I found my father's collection up in the attic. There were 250 old 78s dating back into the 20s and earlier. That formed the nucleus of my collection and some of those are still my favorites."

Since then, Dr. Biel has added to the collection through garage sales, flea markets, advertised mail auctions, antique stores,

and record conventions. He has added more than 1,000 LPs, 300 45s and 300 78s to his collection since moving to Morehead six years ago.

But the collection is not yet all in Kentucky. About a fourth of it is in the Biel home. The rest is in New Jersey, some at his parents', and the remainder in a warehouse.

So, what does a man with 35,000 recordings listen to when he goes home after a day of teaching?

"I listen to whatever I need for research. But I also listen to the radio for the news, and I watch a lot of television because that's my business. If there's something on I should watch or listen to, the recordings will wait."

He added:

"I've often thought that when I grow old and retire, I'll finally get a chance to listen to all my recordings."

Homecoming 1983

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July 1, 1982-June 30, 1983 Annual Report of Giving

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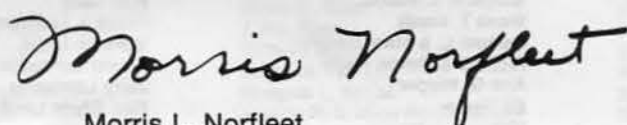
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Support in the 1982-83 Annual Giving Campaign came from several areas, particularly the volunteers serving on the Executive Council of the MSU Alumni Association, the Advisory Board of the Eagle Athletic Fund, and the Board of Trustees of the MSU Foundation, Inc. A special thanks goes out to Custer B. Reynolds of Nicholasville, Kentucky, who served as the national chairperson of this year's campaign.

The results of the campaign were even better than we had hoped for. Cash gifts increased by 35% over the previous year, and the total for annual gifts alone increased by 10.5%.

In trying to look to the future of Morehead State University we realize that there is a need to establish an endowment for any long-range growth and improvements. In order to accomplish this need we have implemented a deferred giving program through life insurance whereby contributors may make a much larger gift than might otherwise be possible for only the cost of the premium. This "living endowment" has grown to more than \$600,000.00 in just a few short months.

Again, we are grateful for your support, and I thank you personally on behalf of our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and Board of Regents.



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The Annual Giving Campaign is the opportunity for a yearly investment in the future of Morehead State University and the people it serves. It is a pooling of resources from the alumni and other friends which enables the university to achieve and/or maintain excellence.

Through the Annual Giving Campaign gifts, those concerned with the welfare of Morehead State University can help guarantee that margin of excellence. The Annual Giving Campaign includes all alumni and non-alumni gifts to the MSU Foundation, Inc., or given directly to Morehead State University.

How are gifts used to benefit the university?

Tax-deductible gifts to Morehead State University through the MSU Foundation, Inc., may be for a specific area of the university or they may be for the university's greatest needs. Those given for a certain activity or program will be used according to the donor's wishes.

Gifts without a designation can be used for any of the university's programs. These funds will be allocated on a university-wide basis where the need is greatest.

Both types of gifts help to build a better institution. Gifts may be in the form of cash or securities, in trust with reservation of income to donors, or a transfer of real property. Gifts are tax deductible as provided by law.

The worth of the Annual Giving Campaign exceeds the monetary value of the gifts. The real worth of Annual Giving Campaign is the visibility and acknowledgement of the need it represents.

Special recognition

The university gratefully acknowledges all gifts received in the 1982-83 Annual Giving Campaign, especially the nine largest gifts. Ashland Oil, Inc., gave \$30,000 to be used for the university's greatest needs. Boone Logan of Ashland gave a collection of prints, collectors' plates, and antiques valued at more than \$21,000.

Russell Peterson of Portsmouth, Ohio, gave \$10,050 to establish a student loan fund. A gift of \$10,000 was given for the Len Miller Fund by Mrs. Dale Turpin, who was Len Miller's widow. Bob Nally gave a collection of limited edition prints valued at more than \$5,000, and the Kentucky Publishing Company gave \$5,000 to be used for support of journalism scholarships, intercollegiate athletics, and the university's greatest needs. Phillip M. Tackett of Morehead gave to WMKY, the university radio station, a computer valued at \$5,000.

Paul Lyons of Salyersville gave a digital analyzer valued at \$1,200 and a cash gift of \$5,000

through his company, Mineral Laboratories, Inc., to be used by the Department of Physical Sciences.

Corporate matching gifts

Corporate matching gift programs are providing an increasing amount of support to higher education each year.

Many companies will match on a dollar-for-dollar basis or double or even triple gifts that their employees make to a university. By checking with your company's personnel office, you may obtain a matching gift form. Provide the information requested on the form and send it to MSU along with your gift. We will complete the form and return it to your employer. The corporate matching gift program can significantly increase the value of your gift.

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Alumni Fund	\$ 10,074.52
Eagle Athletic Fund	87,934.40
Greatest Needs (cash plus stocks & bonds)	52,553.62
Parents Fund	2,190.06
Scholarship Fund*	63,095.63
Schools, departments, and agencies	
Cash	\$ 49,800.00
Equipment	16,527.90
Livestock	20,000.00
Art & literary works	32,055.48
	\$122,383.48
TOTAL GIVING	\$334,231.71

Gift Channels

Given to Morehead State University through the MSU Foundation, Inc.	\$306,305.69
Given directly to Morehead State University	27,926.02
TOTAL GIVING	\$334,231.71

Gift Sources

Number of individual donors	1,382
Number of corporate/business donors	106
Number of Foundation and other donors	27
TOTAL DONORS	1,515

*Does not include \$112,988.00 given to underwrite scholarships for specific individuals. Omission of this figure from giving totals is in accordance with "Gift Reporting Standards" of Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) and National Association of College and University Business Officers (NACUBO).

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Planned giving for MSU's future

No one is too young or too old to prepare for the proper transmittal of their property by means of a will. Aside from personal satisfaction of deciding and recording how your property shall be distributed to your heirs, a will drawn by a competent lawyer may prove far less costly than no will at all.

Few written documents are more powerful than a properly drawn and executed will. If you have had yours prepared, have you, since doing so—

- Moved into a different state?
- Retired or planned your retirement?
- Bought or sold property?
- Watched your stocks or real estate rise in value?
- Lost a beneficiary through death?
- Had a marriage or divorce in the family?
- Added a new dependent?
- Seen your children grow up and leave the home?
- Acquired a second home?
- Incurred new obligations chargeable against your estate?
- Allowed more than five years to elapse without a review of the will?

The unfavorable consequences of an out-of-date will might be negligible—or they could be disastrous. An obsolete will might

conceivably subject your family to needless inconveniences, alienate relatives, subvert your own wishes—even give rise to litigation.

The lawyer who drafts your will is usually the person to whom your survivors will look for guidance. The right choice should be made without the duress of time pressure. Give a little thought, too, to the choice of your executor.

It may be helpful to know that, in terms of legal procedures, you can add the Morehead State University Foundation to an existing will quite easily through a codicil. This means you can provide for the MSU Foundation without having to redraw the entire will. Your lawyer will be quite familiar with such procedures and will need only to know the officer's name to which bequests should be designated, whether in a codicil or a new will.

Such gifts should be made to "The Morehead State University Foundation, Inc.," which may be described as a Kentucky corporation not for profit.

Gifts to the Foundation for its charitable or educational purposes are tax deductible by the donor on personal or business income tax returns, and are deductible in computing federal estate tax and state inheritance taxes in most states.

—and yours

DON'S DIGEST

By DON YOUNG SR.
Executive Vice President
MSU Alumni Association

Higher and higher the Eagles soar! Down they swoop, circling, diving, and gliding. They're coming home!

It's Eagle Time!

Yes, it's that time of the year. The time when Morehead State University's graduate Eagles return to the campus nest. They come to renew old friendships, to reacquaint themselves with old landmarks and view the newest bastions of memories for future generations.

Phrases such as "It's been years," "Do you remember?," "Things sure have changed," "You look great!", "Whatever happened to ol' Joe what's-his-name?" fill the air. There's laughter in remembering the fun, there's sadness for one missing from the gang, there's pride in the prosperity of a friend, but above all is that common denominator called "Alma Mater."

These words and feelings are not new to MSU Eagles. They renew themselves each year during Homecoming Week. They remind us all of those years when facing the "hard lessons of maturing" were softened by the friendship and caring of roommates, faculty, and administrators.

Your Alumni Association sponsors Homecoming each year. Its purpose simply is to provide each graduate with the opportunity to spend some time with friends, have the chance once again to yell at the football game, visit with current students and faculty, and to remember the "good times" you spent while you worked hard for that degree.

The university and the association want you to return. We are proud of what we're doing and we are proud of you as an alumnus. Be with us Oct. 9-16. Let us join together to celebrate what your experience at Morehead State has enabled you to accomplish in life.

Welcome home!

Wedding watch

Patricia Daughtery (83), Villa Hills, Ky., and **Rick Ison**, Jenkins, Ky.

Donna Sue Kesselring, Indianapolis, Ind., and **James Earl Meacham (75)**, Indianapolis, Ind.
Deborah McIntyre, Stanton, Ky., and **Jimmy L. Roark (73)**, Hazard, Ky.

Anna Jene' Turner (83), Louisa, Ky., and **James Steven O'Brian**, Fort Gay, W.Va.

Connie Jo Sizemore (79), St. Cloud, Fla., and **David Benavidez**, Conna, Texas.

Jenny Lynn King, Greenup, Ky., and **John Michael Perkins (83)**, Ewing, Ky.

Janice Lee Wise (81), Lexington, Ky., and **Ronald Jeffery Cox**, Lexington, Ky.

Marcia Lynn Anderson (82), Morehead, Ky., and **Armando Arrastia**, Miami, Fla.

Deborah Allen Taylor, Louisville, Ky., and **Thomas E. Yenowine (73)**, Middletown, Ky.

Teresa Jo Burchett (82), Winchester, Ky., and **Gary Lane Epperson**, Winchester, Ky.

Melinda Elizabeth Lyverse, Louisville, Ky., and **Karl Frederick Schmitt, Jr. (76)**, Miami, Fla.

Margaret Susan Cooney, Maysville, Ky., and **Kenneth W. Brammer (82)**, Maysville, Ky.

Beverly Jean Graham (78), Raceland, Ky., and **John Nathaniel Pintello**, Jacksonville, Fla.

Karen Lee Read, Scottsville, N.Y., and **Robert O. Olsen II (79)**, Selden, N.Y.

Jane Elizabeth Webb, Printer, Ky., and **Rickie Darryl Jones (81)**, Printer, Ky.

Paula Jo McGlone (81), Vanceburg, Ky., and **John Samuel VanHoose II**, Morehead, Ky.

Catherine E. Kise (82), Louisa, Ky., and **Keith Blair**, Hindman, Ky.

Claudia Joy Asbury (82), Flemingsburg, Ky., and **Wayne Wilson Damall (81)**, Flemingsburg, Ky.

Linna Ann Jordan, Winchester, Ky., and **Gary Winston Coyle (76)**, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Sharon Ann Toller, Maysville, Ky., and **James Elliott Gilvan (74)**, Sharpsburg, Ky.

Angela Marie Feldman (77), Waldorf, Md., and **Francis George Harkins, Jr.**, Harkins, Mass.

Barbara Maley Cooney (76), Maysville, Ky., and **Clair C. Anderson**, Maysville, Ky.

Julie Catharine McMahan (79), Paris, Ky., and **A. Bruce Jones**, Paris, Ky.

Shirley Marie Geist (79), Lexington, Ky., and **Randy Denney (77)**, Lexington, Ky.

Julie Raye Dennis (80), Daytona Beach, Fla., and **Gary Alan Garmon**, Daytona Beach, Fla.

Tamya Kaye Dennis (82), Daytona Beach, Fla., and **Mitchell Bryant**, Morehead, Ky.

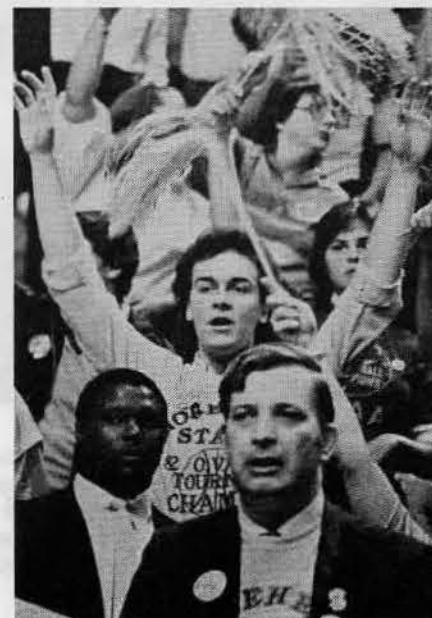
Beth Ellen Shanks (83), Russell, Ky., and **James David Rous (82)**, Ashland, Ky.

Jean Katherine Amato, Frankfort, Ky., and **Alan Ray Dorton (76)**, Elizabethtown, Ky.

Teresa Lynn Johnson (82), Price, Ky., and **Tim Bailey**, Bypro, Ky.

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TO REMEMBER—Shown completing the first alumni memorial book at Camden-Carroll Library are, from left, Betty Morrison of the library staff; Frank Burns, brother of the late Dr. Paul C. Burns, who was honored; Dr. Jack Ellis, director of libraries; and Don Young, executive vice president of the Alumni Association. Friends and relatives of deceased MSU alumni are invited to submit names for memorial books to the Alumni Association.

Memorial books to honor deceased grads

What better memorial to a college graduate than a book?

Such is now the case at MSU as a result of a new program established by the Alumni Association and the University's Camden-Carroll Library.

Effective immediately, the names of deceased alumni will be memorialized in new books being added to the library's permanent collection. The book plate is provided by the Alumni Association and MSU supplies the volume.

Upon notification of the death of an alumnus, the Alumni Association prepares the book plate and forwards it to the library where Dr. Jack Ellis and his staff are responsible for selecting an appropriate book to be inscribed in memory of the deceased graduate.

Family members are notified of the memorial book program through a letter from the president of the university and the president of the Alumni Association. There is no cost to the family of the deceased.

"We are pleased to initiate this program to honor the memories of our deceased alumni," Alumni President Merl Allen stated. "A memorial book is a fitting tribute to someone whose life was affected by the college experience. We encourage friends and relatives to send us the names of alumni who have died in the past so that their names can be perpetuated in the library."

Mrs. Allen announced that the first memorial book was inscribed in memory of Dr. Paul C. Burns, a 1945 graduate and a professor of education at the University of Tennessee. Dr. Burns, who died this summer, had published more than 40 books.

"It is very appropriate to memorialize the first book in honor of our most published graduate," said Dr. Ellis. "Dr. Burns was a Morehead native who established an outstanding reputation in the field of education."

Additional information about the memorial book program is available from Don Young, executive vice president of the Alumni Association, at (606) 783-2080.

Logging Show opens Oct. 1

A concert by country music standouts David Frizzell and Shelly West, equipment displays and exhibits, and the Kentucky Lumberjack Championships will headline the Kentucky Logging Show at MSU on Oct. 1 and 2.

The weekend event, scheduled at the Derrickson Agricultural Complex north of Morehead on Ky. 377, will spotlight Kentucky's forest products and their importance to the state. The Logging Show is being co-sponsored by the Kentucky Forest Industries Association and MSU.

Activities begin Saturday, Oct. 1, with equipment, exhibits, and demonstrations from more than 25 companies representing the logging industry. The crowning of the Kentucky Logging Queen completes morning events at 10:30 a.m.

The Kentucky lumberjack championships start at 1 p.m. with contestants vying for prize money in categories of wood chopping, axe throwing, chain sawing, rail splitting, and crosscut sawing.

The concert by Frizzell and West highlights Saturday's activities at 7 p.m. in the Richardson Arena.

Frizzell, the brother of the late Lefty Frizzell, has been perform-

ing and recording country music since a teenager, first with his brother. His individual hits include songs like "L.A. International Airport" and "I'm Gonna Hire a Wino (to Decorate Our Home)."

Frizzell's partner, Shelly West, is a native Tennessean and the daughter of entertainer Dottie West. She began her career in music in 1977 as part of her mother's country music group and joined Frizzell soon after.

Frizzell and West have received numerous music awards and honors, including the Country Music Association's "Vocal Duo of the Year" award for two consecutive years.

Admission is \$12 at the door.

Sunday, Oct. 2, closes the Logging Show with more demonstrations and exhibits beginning at 9 a.m. "Hap" Johnson, a pole climber, conducts two afternoon shows followed by more of the Kentucky Lumberjack Championships.

An auction of chainsaw sculpture and a horse and mule pulling contest at 3 p.m. conclude the formal activities. Contest winners will be awarded plaques and ribbons, and show teams and wagons will be on display.

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Executive Council approves new FY

The Executive Council of the Alumni Association has voted to change the Association's fiscal year to July 1-June 30 from the current Homecoming to Homecoming period.

The change, approved this summer, took effect immediately and placed the Alumni Association on the same fiscal calendar as the university.

A constitutional amendment, necessary to make the alteration, was adopted as follows: "A contribution made to the Alumni Fund between July 1 and June 30 of the following year will constitute active membership in the Association for that year."

In other business, the Executive Council:

- Amended the constitution to reflect title changes in staff positions and to assign specific duties to Don Young, executive vice-president; Lois Howell, secretary-treasurer; and Pauline Davis, recording secretary.
- Suspended the Homecoming Parade for 1983 and initiated a "Kickoff Carnival" to initiate an eight-day Homecoming observance.
- Reiterated the Association's official definition of an MSU alumnus as "any person who has received a two-year or four-year degree, completed a pre-professional program of certification, or completed a graduate degree from MSU or its predecessors."

GIFTS & GRANTS

\$125,136 from Kentucky Department of Education for continued support of training program for adult basic education personnel and volunteers.

\$10,000 from Terry Jacobs for support of football program.

\$46,104 from Eastern Kentucky Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center for psychological and other services.

\$12,000 from Kentucky Department of Energy for continued support of energy management assistance program.

\$40,500 from MAPCO Educational Foundation for continued support of faculty chair in energy studies.

\$5,000 from Kentucky Publishing Company for support of journalism scholarships, basketball, football, and greatest needs.

\$49,308 from Kentucky Department of Education for continued support of Adult Learning Center.

\$6,200 from Mineral Laboratories, Inc., for support of geological studies.

\$25,440 from Kentucky Department of Education for continued support of vocational education programs.

If you are interested in giving to MSU, we invite you to contact the Office of Development at (606) 783-2033.

GREAT ADVANCEMENTS IN HISTORY

1905



Albert Einstein, then an unknown examiner at the Swiss patent office in Bern, stunned the scientific world by advancing his theory of relativity.

$$E=mc^2$$

Energy equals mass times the velocity of light squared

1983



Just 79 years later, Bill Phelps, by his small but relatively significant \$25 membership gift to the MSU Alumni Fund helped advance the following theory.

$$mc=E^2$$

Many contributions equals excellence squared



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Thanks for caring!

Many of MSU's missing alumni were found after former classmates and relatives responded to MSU's Most Wanted List in the July issue of MOREHEAD STATEment.

Here are the names of others for whom we have no current addresses. If you know the whereabouts of a missing alumni, please share the information with us as soon as possible.

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Joseph Kevin Stone (80)
Julius L. Tackett (63)
Eddyth Knauff Tolle (72)
Richard Carl Wallace (80)
Lisa Powers Wheeler (82)
Stephen Earl White (78)
Samuel Singlong Yao (83)

Math, reading upgrade due

MSU President Morris L. Norfleet announced recently that MSU and at least 11 local school districts in Eastern Kentucky have launched a joint program to improve reading and mathematics skills of students at all grade levels, including college.

"We have formed a new partnership in the quest for quality in education and we are focusing our efforts on two of the most troublesome subject areas in our curricula," Dr. Norfleet told more than 300 teachers at an in-service workshop sponsored by the Carter County Schools in Grayson.

School districts committed to the joint endeavor include Bath County, Carter County, Fairview, Fleming County, Greenup County, Lawrence County, Magoffin County, Montgomery County, Pike County, Rowan County, and Russell. Other districts also have expressed interest, he reported.

"We have pledged the university to do a better job of preparing new teachers in math and reading and to work with public school teachers and administrators through an expanded in-service program to help classroom teachers on all grade

levels deal with the perplexing aspects of reading and mathematics education," Dr. Norfleet stated.

He added that MSU also will intensify its efforts to upgrade the math and reading capabilities of students currently enrolled. The first external phase of the program will be training sessions on the MSU campus for "instructional teams" from the local districts. Those teams in turn will conduct similar sessions in their districts for classroom teachers.

"The university will utilize its own faculty and outside consultants to make sure that we have the best advice available," the MSU chief executive said. "We don't have all of the answers yet, but we will work with our public school colleagues to find them."

Dr. Norfleet said the reading program would emphasize the concept of content-area reading instruction across the entire curriculum.

"This new partnership could not have been formed without the total cooperation and encouragement of local superintendents, teachers, and instructional supervisors," Dr. Norfleet added.

Alumni book club formed

An agreement between the Morehead State University Alumni Association and the University Press of Kentucky has resulted in the formation of the Morehead State Alumni Book Club.

This club allows MSU alumni to buy books published by UPK, a scholarly publishing house at the University of Kentucky, at a 30 percent discount. At least five new titles will be offered twice a year and the order form published in this issue of MOREHEAD STATEment must be used to receive the discount.

Two of the first five titles to be offered were written by MSU alumni. *Wildflowers and Ferns of Kentucky* was written by Dr. Roger W. Barbour (38), professor of zoology at the University of Kentucky. The featured book in the first selection is *Black Liberation in Kentucky (Emancipation and Freedom, 1862-1884)*, by Dr. Victor B. Howard (40), professor of history at MSU.

"We're very pleased to be able to provide additional benefits for our alumni, and we hope this is only the beginning," said Merl Allen, president of the Alumni Association. "It's quite fitting that two of the first books we offer were written by MSU alumni."

Homecoming
October 9-16

Homecoming room reservation form

A limited number of rooms will be available in Waterfield Hall (for married couples, single females—housed four single beds to a room) and Butler Hall (single males). A \$10 key deposit is required at check-in and will be refunded if key is returned. The charge is \$4 per person-per night, payable when checking in.

Reservations must be made by October 7.

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_____ single females

_____ single males

Ford headlining plateau sessions

U.S. Sen. Wendell H. Ford will be the featured speaker for "New Lands for the Future," an Appalachian regional economic development conference scheduled Nov. 10 and 11 at MSU.

"The conference is being held to provide the general public with pertinent economic, geographic, and technological information concerning the new land plateaus being created through surface mining," said MSU President Morris L. Norfleet. MSU's School of Applied Sciences and Technology is the conference sponsor.

"Our participation with MAPCO, Inc., at its Martiki mine in Martin County has triggered an awareness to the fact that everyone should become more conscious of the vast potential

that these plateaus represent from a developmental standpoint," he added.

MSU is being engaged by MAPCO, the coal producer, and by the land's owner, Kentucky-Pocahontas Corp., to help develop a viable agricultural complex on the Martin County property which ultimately will involve 4,000 acres of reclaimed lands when mining is finished there a decade from now.

Dr. Charles M. Derrickson, dean of the School of Applied Sciences and Technology, said of the conference:

"Our sessions will depict how and where these mine plateaus are being created and what can be done with them from a commercial, industrial, residential, and even recreational standpoint."

The conference is expected to attract land owners and developers, industrial development specialists, economic planners, engineers, financial advisers, mine operations professionals, manufacturers, and orchardists and vintners.

Dr. Derrickson added: "Not all of the mine plateaus being created are as big as those in Martin County. There are many of a smaller variety, ranging upwards in size from 50 acres. But if we are serious about the future economic health and development of our steep mountainous highlands, we must take these new land masses into consideration from a planning standpoint. They represent to the people of Appalachia a golden opportunity which will remain when the coal is gone."

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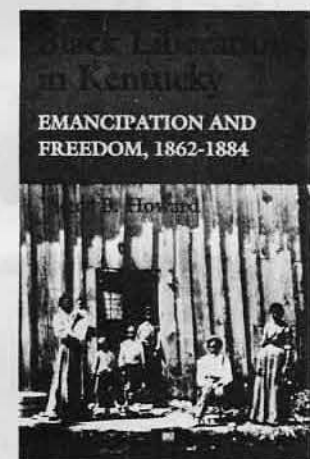
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Victor B. Howard

This important new book fills a gap in the historical record by showing for the first time how the black population of Kentucky coped with complex social conditions first in a state that defended slavery while remaining within the Union and later in seeking the rights granted them during the Reconstruction period. Victor Howard is professor of history at Morehead State and is a 1940 graduate of the University. List price \$23.00 Alumni price \$16.00

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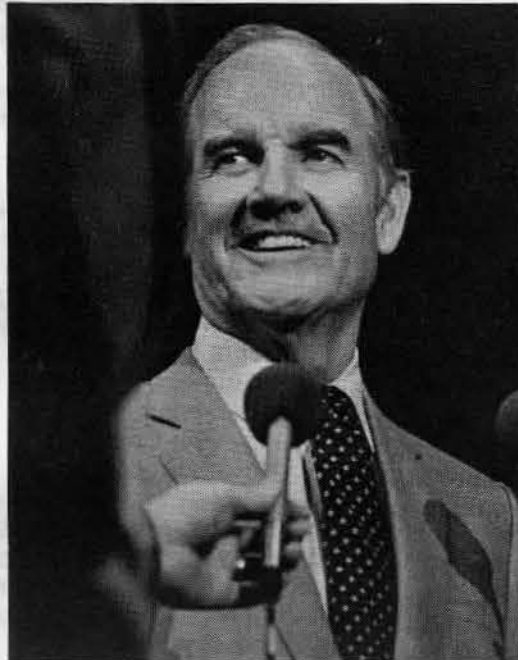
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Alumni today

1930s



Elijah M. Hogge

Elijah M. Hogge (37), Morehead, is completing his seventh year on the Kentucky Court of Appeals and is a candidate for reelection in November. Also a graduate of Washington and Lee, Judge Hogge represents 20 counties on the state's second-highest court. He served as state secretary of public protection and regulation in the Wendell Ford administration.

1940s



James M. Richardson

James M. Richardson (47), Owingsville, is serving as district judge in Montgomery and Menifee counties and is a candidate for circuit judge in November. A member of the MSU Board of Regents since 1975, Judge Richardson served more than 20 years as county attorney of Bath County. He is a law graduate of the University of Kentucky.

Harold L. Holbrook (49), Grayson, has been elected board chairman of the Eastern Kentucky Educational Development Corporation. He earlier served as vice chairman of the board. He is beginning his eleventh year as superintendent of Carter County Schools.

1950s

Forrest Tackett (56) is in his fifth year as principal of Hillsboro Elementary School in Fleming County. Originally from Pike County, he also has been a principal and social studies teacher at the middle school level. He and his wife Ilene live in Fleming County.

Charles Brown (58) has been elected vice chairman of the Eastern Kentucky Educational Development Corporation. A Fleming County native, he is beginning his twentieth year as superintendent of Fleming County Schools.

Dale Walker (58) is employed by the Social Security Administration as operations super-

visor in Corbin. He previously worked as a claims representative.

1960s



Kenneth E. Bland

Kenneth E. Bland (61), Morehead, is serving as assistant superintendent of schools in Rowan County and is the Republican candidate for state superintendent of public instruction in the November election. He is a former teacher and principal and has served as acting superintendent in Rowan County.

Lake Kelly (61) has been named part-time assistant basketball coach at the University of Kentucky. A native of Fleming County, he formerly coached at George Rogers Clark High School in Winchester, Lexington Lafayette, Oral Roberts University, and Austin Peay State University.



James C. McGehee

James C. McGehee (61), Hurricane, W.Va., has been promoted to director of personnel for the Putnam County Board of Education. An employee of the county school system since 1961, he served previously as coordinator of personnel.

Eddie Ward (62) is in his fourth year as principal of Fox Valley Elementary School in Fleming County. Originally from Inez, he is a former physical education instructor and basketball coach at Fox Valley and former assistant principal at Fleming County High School.

Linda Gallaher (63), Morehead, is the first charter member of the Morehead Duplicate Bridge Club to receive the life master rank in the American Contract Bridge League. She took her first bridge lesson in 1970 and joined Morehead's club in 1976. She has been invited to play in the Blue Ribbon Pairs Game this December in Miami, Fla.

Kenneth E. Hamilton (63) has been promoted to executive vice president and chief operations officer of the Citizens Bank of Pikeville. He is a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and scoutmaster of Troop 802 in Virgie. Hamilton joined the bank's staff in 1970.

Dr. Frances Helphinstine (63) has been promoted to professor of English at Morehead State. A member of the MSU faculty since 1966, she received her doctoral degree at Indiana University.

Dick Hamm (64) owns and operates a tavern in Hanover, Pa. He recently retired as a high school basketball coach and recruiter at the University of Tennessee.

John Pflieger (64) is a professional opera singer in Bielfeld, Germany, and has drawn critical acclaim from *Opera World Magazine* of Zurich. A native of South Whitley, Ind., he has performed 50 operas in four different languages, including theatres in Paris and Moscow. Pflieger is a baritone who started his opera career in 1970.

Dr. Lawrence Allen (66) Caldwell County school superintendent since 1978, has been chosen by the Paducah Board of Education to head its school system. A Carter County native, Dr. Allen is a former math teacher and assistant principal in Carter County.

Jonnie C. Blair (66) has been named assistant to the president for planning, management, and budget at Lees Junior College in Jackson, Ky. Blair joined the staff at Lees in 1967 as a chemistry instructor and became division head of the science and mathematics department in 1968.

Mary Jo Netherton (66) has been promoted to associate professor of French at MSU. A member of the MSU faculty since 1964, she received her master's degree from the University of Kentucky. She is a native of Warren County.



Thomas J. O'Rourke

Thomas J. O'Rourke (67) has been named director of secondary instruction at the DeKalb school system in Decatur, Ga. He holds graduate degrees from Xavier University in Ohio and the University of Georgia. He is an active member of several educational organizations. A native of Pennsylvania, he is married to the former **Karen Rae Bussey (67)** of Prestonsburg.

Charlotte Reid Coomer (68) has been elected secretary of the National Classroom Educators in Business and Office Education. She and her husband **Mark (68)** are teachers at Wapakoneta Senior High School in Ohio. She received her master's degree in business education from Bowling Green State University in 1982.

Linda Donovan (68) is in her second year as principal of Ew-

ing Elementary School in Fleming County. Before her appointment last year she taught fifth grade at Ewing Elementary for 12 years. She and her husband **Stephen (69)** reside in Fleming County.

Robert A. Masys (68) has been appointed sales manager of WBNS Radio in Columbus, Ohio. An employee of WBNS since 1970, he began work with the station as an on-the-air personality and moved into sales in 1975. His awards include Salesman of the Year in 1978 by the Columbus Sales Executive Club.

Howard Beauman (69) is pursuing a doctoral degree in ministry and theology. He completed his master of divinity degree from Southern Seminary in Louisville. He is currently living in Campbellsville, with a ministry at the Lowell Avenue Baptist Church.

Mike Bromagen (69) has been named instructional supervisor for the Bath County Schools. A native of Bath County, he has been a teacher and coach in the system since 1973. Earlier he taught at Camargo Elementary School.

Carmencita Sparks Dyer (69), Grayson, has been named Outstanding Director of Pupil Personnel by the Kentucky Association of School Administrators. She is president of the Kentucky Association of Pupil Personnel Workers and is employed by the Carter County Schools.

James S. Everman (69) has been honored by the Army Corps of Engineers as its Planner of the Year. He won the same honor in the Ohio River Division of the corps and competed with other corps professionals from around the world.

1970s

Dr. Dan H. Branham (70) has been named superintendent of Beechwood Independent Schools in northern Kentucky. Formerly superintendent of schools in Martin County, Dr. Branham is president-elect of the Kentucky Association of School Superintendents.

Phillip D. Hays (70) has been named general manager of Georgia Telephone in Dalton, Ga. He previously was division manager for General Telephone of North Carolina. He is active in numerous civic organizations, including the Rotary Club and Boy Scouts, and is a native of Perry County.

Joseph H. Kovacic (71) is teaching elementary music in Mingo County, W.Va. He formerly worked as a music teacher and counselor in Florida.

Rodney Smith (71) was recently selected as one of the "Outstanding Young Men of America." A graduate of Knott

Alumni today

County Central High School, he is married to the former Carol Jean Kleen of Louisville and teaches at Bullitt Central High School.

Chester E. Flint (73) works as a safety analyst for the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals at the Pikeville office.

Sam McKinney (73), Fleming County native, is actively involved in exhibiting his art work, including paintings and watercolors of early coal company towns. He has painted nearly 300 contract portraits in oils and pastels.

Suzanne Martin Rasnick (73) recently launched a writing career when her first story, "God's Door Was Open," was published in the Monthly Magazine of the Association of Free Will Baptists. She is a former MSU Homecoming queen.

Gary Akers (74) recently won the Kentucky Watercolor Society's \$1,000 top merit award with a painting entitled "Turning Away." Earlier this year the Union, Ky., native won the Dale Meyers Cooper Bronze Medal of Honor and a \$500 merit award for the same painting at the Southern Watercolor Society Exhibition. He's listed in *Who's Who in American Art* and *American Artists of Renown*.

Frank Oddis (74) has been promoted to assistant professor of music at MSU. He joined the faculty in 1977 and received his master's degree from East Carolina University.

Pat Conley Rabourn (74) has been named assistant supervisor of the Menifee County office of Farmers Home Administration. A native of Carter County, she has been with the FHA for 14 years in offices in Morehead, Lexington, and Vanceburg. Her husband **Andy** (67) is postmaster at Lawton, Ky.

Larry Cordle (75), Lexington, recently attained national recognition as the author of "Highway 40 Blues" recorded by Ricky Skaggs, which became the nation's No. 1 country song on *Billboard Magazine's* chart. Cordle, who grew up with Skaggs in Lawrence County, works as an accountant in addition to being a singer and song writer.

Jean Holton Bolender (76) was chosen as one of four new honorary members of the Ohio Future Homemakers State Association. She is a home economics job training teacher at Southern Hills in Georgetown, Ohio. She also serves on the state board of the Ohio FHA.

Frank G. Vice (76) is a registered pharmacist and a student at the Auburn University School of Veterinary Medicine. His wife, **Karlyn Coatney Vice** (75), is a home economics teacher in the Russell County Schools.

Steve Hall (77) is the new varsity basketball coach at Raceland High School. A native of Boyd County, he has five years of coaching experience, including a stint as an assistant basketball coach at Buffalo-Putnam High School in West Virginia.

Capt. Michael W. Jimison (78) and his wife **Theresa Kelley Jimison** (78) have returned from a four-year overseas tour with the U.S. Army. He was a company commander and Mrs. Jimison taught in the Army's basic skills education program. The Jimisons have been assigned to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

James D. Lester (78) is practicing family dentistry in Louisa. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky's College of Dentistry. His wife, **Rose Sammons-**

Lester (78) is a registered dental hygienist.

Terry Moran (78) has been named director of career planning and placement at the University of Charleston in West Virginia. She formerly was the school's director of student activities.

Lynn Tussey Poe (78), Paris, owns and operates a ladies' clothing store in Cynthiana called "The Sugar Plum Tree." Her husband John practices veterinary medicine in Lexington.

Roble Glenn Hall (79), an aspiring poet, was chosen for an Outstanding Young Men of America award in 1983. He lives in Dry Creek, Ky.

Melinda G. Nance (79) is a caseworker at the Lawrence County (Ohio) Welfare Department. She also is advisor of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority at MSU.

1980s

Edward L. Gill (80), formerly of Ashland, has been promoted to full colonel in the Kentucky Army National Guard. A former commander of the 201st Engineer Battalion, Col. Gill serves as state operations and training officer for the Kentucky Department of Military Affairs in Frankfort.

Wendell Morris (80) has been appointed industrial arts instructor at Raceland High School. A native of Caneyville, Ky., he also will serve as a junior varsity football and basketball coach.

Dacey Combs Clair (81) has been named office manager of admissions and financial aid at Lees Junior College in Jackson, Ky. Earlier she worked as an administrative assistant at the school's counseling center. She is a native of Owsley County.

Charles (Chod) Hobbs (81) has been named recreation director for the City of Ashland. The Boyd County native is also a certified NCAA baseball umpire and a high school basketball referee.

Danny R. Wright (81) formerly of Letcher County, has been named communications coordinator for MSU's Appalachian Development Center. Before joining the MSU staff, he was managing editor of the *Knott County News* and a staff writer at *The Morehead News* and also held positions in industry as a technical writer-editor.

Sheila Adams (82) has been appointed as a sixth grade teacher at Sandy Hook Elementary in Elliott County. Earlier she worked as a service desk supervisor at Roses Department Store. Her husband, **Joe** (84), is a journalism major at MSU and currently is student managing editor of *MOREHEAD STATEment*. Sheila is a native of Elliott County.

Vince Holbrook (82) is working as director of advertising for Macpherson, Inc., an interna-

tional company which specializes in embroidery machines. His new job has taken him across the United States, Canada, and Great Britain. A native of Greenup County, he previously served as production manager for the *Kernersville News* in North Carolina.

Brooks Peavler (82) has been named assistant manager of the Flemingsburg Southern States store. An employee of the Maysville Southern States store for the past 18 months, he is a native of Harrodsburg.

Brenda Porter (82), Paintsville, has been named Outstanding Teacher of the Year by Kentucky Educational Television. The award was presented in recognition of her exceptional use of educational programming in her classroom. She teaches first grade at Paintsville Elementary School.

Anthony D. Tackett (82) is employed by PMS Corporation in Columbia, S. Car., and his wife **Michelle Harrod Tackett** (82) works for the First National Bank of Columbia.

Darryl Traylor (82) has been named by the Farmers State Bank of Warsaw to manage a new branch bank in Gallatin County. A native of New Liberty, Ky., he had previous banking experience with the Production Credit Association.

Jimmy Ward (82) has been promoted to supervisor of customer services for Comair Airlines in Milwaukee, Wis. He is a Rowan County native and one of the youngest certified volleyball referees in the U.S. Jim is the son of **Dr. Nan Ward** (57) of Salt Lick, Ky.

Mary Westheimer (82), Phoenix, Ariz., is associate editor of the Do-It-Now Foundation's *Newservice* magazine, a health-oriented publication with subscribers in the U.S. and abroad. Originally from Cincinnati, she is a former staff member of the *Appalachian News-Express* in Pike County.

Glenn Ricky Adams (83) has been named sports editor of the *Appalachian News-Express* in Pikeville. Adams served two years on MSU's student newspaper, *The Trail Blazer*, and also ran cross country and track for the Eagles. His is originally from Pike County.

Mary Jane Cannon (83) has been appointed band director at Fleming County High School. Earlier she taught elementary music at Aberdeen, Ohio. She also is secretary-treasurer of the Ohio Valley Angus Association and works with her husband **Joe** (65) in Angus cattle breeding.

Clyde (Chip) Logan (83) has accepted a position with Humana Hospital in Louisa. A graduate of the Appalachian Regional Hospital School of Medical Technology at Beckley, W. Va., he is a native of Olive Hill. His wife is the former **Jane Leslie Case** (82).

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MOREHEAD STATEment welcomes updates on family additions, job changes, relocations, promotions—whatever you think is newsworthy. Help us keep track of you by filling out this form and returning it. Recent newspaper clippings also are appreciated.

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Commentary

Can math and reading be improved?

The recent avalanche of studies on the current state of American education, including the National Commission on Excellence in Education, shows dramatically that our schools have drifted into troubled waters.

Several theories have been advanced for the obvious weakening of basic skills among high school and college students as demonstrated by a continued drop in ACT, SAT, and other test scores. Regardless of the cause or causes, it is evident that today's students primarily are less proficient in mathematics and reading.

We in public higher education are optimistic that the future

holds promise. The new pre-college curriculum adopted by the Council on Higher Education and the increased high school graduation requirements by the State Board of Education should encourage elementary and secondary students to be more serious about their studies and to resist the temptation to take the so-called "fluff" courses.

These changes, however, may take three or four years to manifest themselves in higher test scores and better grades.

But what can be done today?

In an effort to answer this pressing question, we sat down with our colleagues in the public schools and decided that the

program is complex and that each aspect must be handled in a systematic manner. We readily agreed that math and reading deficiencies should be addressed first because of their impact on other disciplines.

Numerous strategies, ranging from teacher-training workshops to outside consultants, are being utilized as we work together with the public schools to improve the quality of math and reading skills on all levels of education.

We don't have all of the answers . . . yet. But we're going to find them and share them. As educators, we can do no less!

—Morris L. Norfleet

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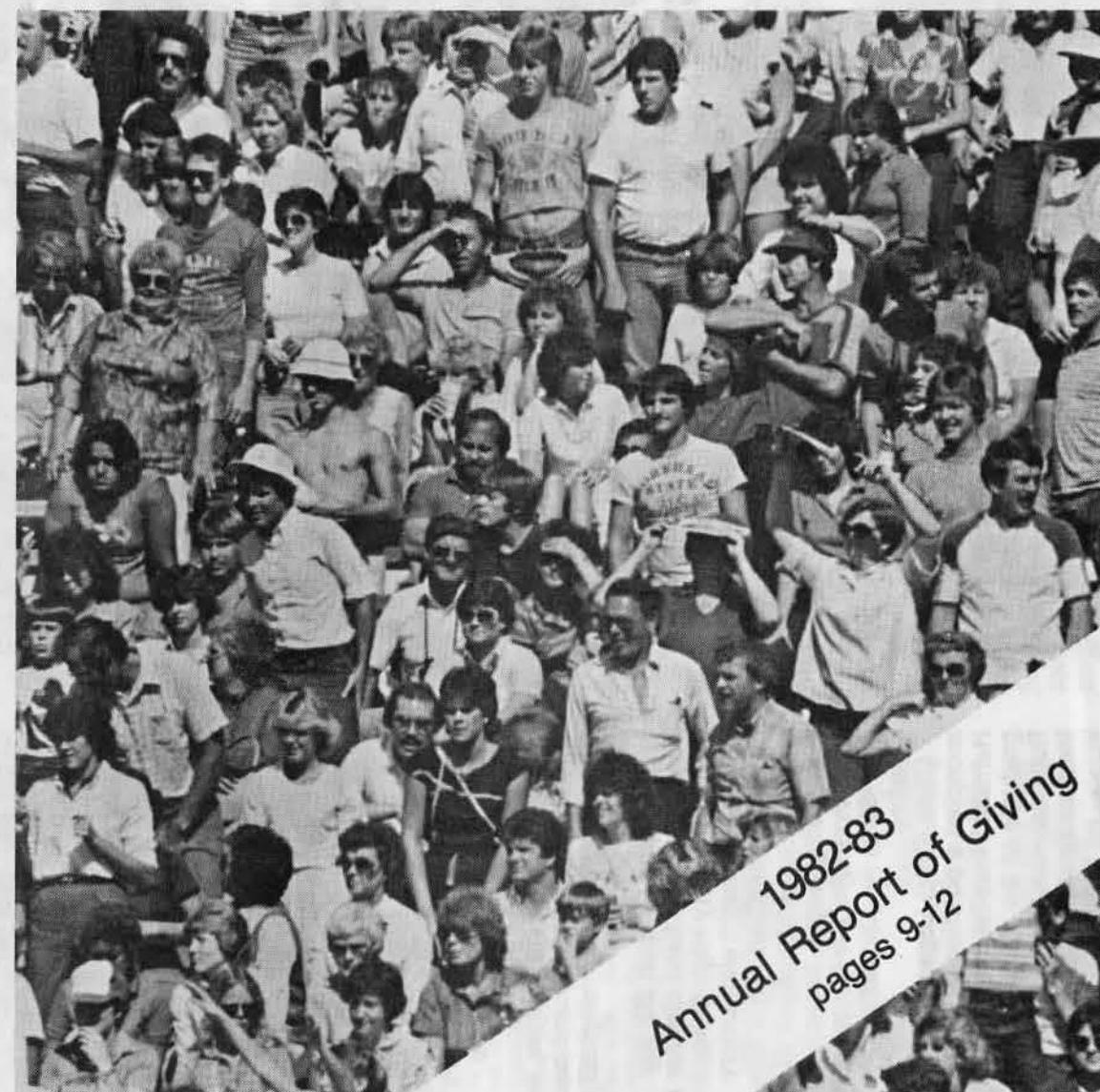
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